

COUNTY OF ERIE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING
DIVISION OF SEWERAGE MANAGEMNT
*** * MEMORANDUM * ***

TO: Garry S. Pecak, P.E., Secretary - ECSD No. 5 Board of Mangers
FROM: *JAC* James A. Carr, P.E., Assistant Deputy Commissioner
DATE: March 3, 2016
RE: Erie County Sewer District No. 8 – Contract No. 16
East Aurora Wastewater Treatment Plant
Tank No. 1 Air Line Replacement Project
Hohl Industrial Services, Inc.
ECSD No. 8 Board of Managers Recommendation for Approval

Bids were opened for Erie County Sewer District No. 8, Contract No. 16, East Aurora Wastewater Treatment Plant Tank No. 1 Air Line Replacement Project, on March 3, 2016. Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. was the lowest responsible bidder with a bid of \$297,300.00. There were five (5) bidders on this contract with an average bid of \$342,640. The Engineer's estimate for this project was \$226,865, but did not properly take into account the logistics of moving equipment into and conducting work within the tight confines of the Treatment Plant's layout. Bid Tab is attached. Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. is experienced in the steel work required for this project. The Division has reviewed the bids and believe that this is a fair, competitive number. Their bid package was complete and properly filled out. Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. has submitted a responsive bid.

Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. has work on similar steel construction projects with the DSM in the past, most recently on the SSI project at the Southtowns AWTF. They are a responsible company and will be able to provide the necessary manpower and equipment for this contract. The Erie County Department of Environment and Planning recommends the award of Contract 21 to the aforementioned lowest responsible bidder

The Legislative meeting on this contract is scheduled for Thursday, March 17, 2016, and Erie County Sewer District No. 8 Board of Managers approval is needed before then. As the Board does not meet again until April 14, 2016, please poll the members for the Board's approval of the Award of Contract.

For your use at the next Board meeting, I have enclosed a resolution for formal approval of the award of Contract 16.

Cc: J. Carr /D. Skowronski /8.3.3.16

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RESOLUTION
ERIE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT NO. 8
BOARD OF MANAGERS

WHEREAS, the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning has received five (5) bids for East Aurora Wastewater Treatment Plant Tank No. 1 Air Line Replacement Project, Erie County Sewer District No. 8, Contract No. 16 at 10:00 a.m. on March 3, 2016, and

WHEREAS, the lowest responsible was as follows:

<u>Contract</u>	<u>Lowest Responsible Bidder</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Contract No. 16	Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. 770 Riverview Blvd. Tonawanda, NY 14150	\$297,300.00

;and

WHEREAS, the Division of Sewerage Management has determined that this project is a Type II action in accordance with 6NYCRR Section 617.5(c) and therefore is not subject to State Environmental Quality Review Act review under New York State Environmental Conservation Law; and

WHEREAS, the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning recommends the award of Contract 16 to the aforementioned lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned lowest responsible bidder has successfully performed similar work in Erie County.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that Erie County Sewer District No. 8 Board of Managers recommends that the East Aurora Wastewater Treatment Plant Tank No. 1 Air Line Replacement Project, Contract No. 16 be awarded as follows:

<u>Contract</u>	<u>Lowest Responsible Bidder</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Contract No. 16	Hohl Industrial Services, Inc. 770 Riverview Blvd. Tonawanda, NY 14150	\$297,300.00

MOVED BY: _____

SECONDED BY: _____

APPROVED/DISAPPROVED: _____

DATE: _____

Respectfully submitted,

Garry S. Pecak, P.E.
Secretary to the Board of Managers
Erie County Sewer District No. 8